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INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE COMMITTEE

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**RAISED BILL No. 6306 AAC THE LISTING OF ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED
NURSES IN MANAGED CARE**

**ORGANIZATION PROVIDER LISTINGS, AND PRIMARY CARE
PROVIDER DESIGNATIONS.**

Testimony of Liz Visone IN SUPPORT OF RAISED BILL No. 6306

Senator Crisco, Representative Megna, and members of the Committee

Thank you for raising this bill and caring about CT patients

My name is Liz Visone, I am an APRN in a primary care practice. I have admitting privileges at our local hospital and manage my own patients. I am their primary care provider (PCP). At the hospital, even when my patients identify me as their PCP, many times the hospital puts the name of one of my partner docs on the admission. This creates a delay in my knowing my patient is there. It means I don't get the notifications of Emergency Room visits. Sometimes tests are forwarded to my partner docs - all

because my name cannot appear on the insurance card. Please help to get providers properly credentialed and properly listed so patient care will not be so badly disrupted.

I urge your support of Raised Bill No. 6306